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Re: AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF 05/18/2006

Title:	<i>Instant Messaging Account System</i>		
Inventors:	Dennis Mendiola & Brian Schlotman		
Application No.:	09/846,249		
Filing Date:	05/02/2001	Art Unit:	2153
Examiner:	Barqadle, Yasin M.	Confirmation No.:	5943
Customer No.:	24943		
Atty. Docket No.:	YSAP.CHIKKA.PT3		

Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following items:

- 1) an amendment in response to the Office Action of 05/18/2006 (for a total of 12 unique sheets); and
- 2) a return receipt postcard

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2006, hereinafter, "the Office Action." The Office Action set a shortened period for reply of three months from the mailing date of the Office Action. That makes the present response due on or before August 18, 2006. The Application is believed by Applicant to be in proper condition for allowance. Accordingly, reconsideration and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remark/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.